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Serial No.: 08/731,499 ) Art Unit: not assigned  
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COMMUNICATION UNDER 37  
C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825  
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Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825 that accompanied the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed November 20, 1996, applicants submit herewith the required paper copy and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing. Please amend the specification in adherence with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825 as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 17, Table 1, ninth column ("SEQ ID NO:-forward"), please replace "9" with ~~--13--~~; "11" with ~~--15--~~; "13" with ~~--17--~~; "15" with ~~--19--~~; "17" with ~~--21--~~; "19" with ~~--23--~~; "21" with ~~--25--~~; "23" with ~~--27--~~; "25" with ~~--29--~~; "27" with ~~--31--~~; "29" with ~~--33--~~; "31" with ~~--35--~~; "33" with ~~--37--~~; and "35" with ~~--39--~~.

On page 17, Table 1, tenth column ("SEQ ID NO:-backward"), please replace "10" with ~~--14--~~; "12" with ~~--16--~~; "14" with ~~--18--~~; "16" with ~~--20--~~; "18" with ~~--22--~~; "20" with ~~--24--~~; "22" with ~~--26--~~; "24" with ~~--28--~~; "26" with ~~--30--~~; "28" with ~~--32--~~; "30" with ~~--34--~~; "32" with ~~--36--~~; "34" with ~~--38--~~; and "36" with ~~--40--~~.